# Factsheet – December 2024



Our purpose is to deliver social infrastructure for healthier, safer and more connected communities, while creating sustainable value for all stakeholders



## **Recommended cash offer for BBGI**

On 6 February 2025, the Company and Boswell Holdings 3 S.C.Sp announced a Board-recommended all cash offer by British Columbia Investment Management Corporation of 147.5pps<sup>1</sup>. On 6 March 2025, the offer documents were published. Further details are available on our website: <u>https://www.bb-gi.com/investors/offer/</u>

#### **Our investment approach**

#### Low-risk<sup>2</sup>

- Availability-style<sup>3</sup> coreinfrastructure assets
- Secure, public sector-backed
- contracted revenues
- Stable, predictable cash flows, with high-quality inflation linkage

## **Financial highlights**

#### Net asset value ('NAV') per share

142.7<sub>p</sub>

(31 December 2023: 147.8p)

High-quality inflation linkage<sup>7</sup>

0.5% (FY 2023: 0.5%)

**Dividends** in pence per share



+2.1%

(FY 2023: +3.8%)

Internally managed

- Disciplined investment and

FY 2024 NAV total return

- Management Board interests

aligned with those of shareholders

portfolio construction approach

Competitive ongoing charges<sup>4</sup>

Annualised NAV total return since IPO<sup>9</sup>

Globally diversified

- Well-constructed portfolio with

Stable, well-developed operating

No excessive reliance on any single

investments in highly rated

investment grade countries

environments

market

# Sustainability focused

- Sustainability fully integrated into the business model
- Comprehensive ESG monitoring, GHG inventory and climate resilience analysis across the portfolio
- Focus on delivering positive social impact - SFDR Article 85

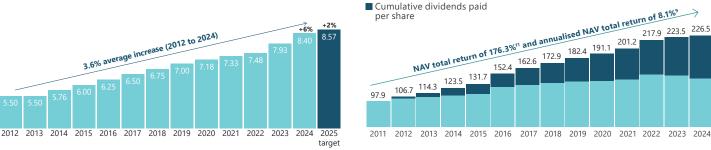
### FY 2025 target dividend growth<sup>6</sup>

Ongoing charges<sup>10</sup>

0.92%

#### NAV and dividend per share growth in pence

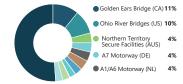
NAV per share NAV total return of 176.3%<sup>11</sup> and annualised NAV total return of 8.1%



## **Portfolio overview**



Top ten investments



131.7 123.5

Victorian Correctional Facilities (AUS)	4%	
M1 Westlink (UK)	3%	
Liverpool & Sefton Clinics (UK)	3%	
Women's College Hospital (CA)	3%	
McGill University Health Centre (CA) 3%		
Remaining 46 investments	51%	

217.9 223.5 226.5

1 Under the terms of the offer, which is subject to certain terms and conditions set out in the offer document published on 6 March 2025, BBGI shareholders who accept the offer will be entitled to receive 143.3pps in cash. As further described in the offer document, BBGI shareholders on the register on 7 March 2025 will also be entitled to retain a cash dividend of 4.2pps. The dividend will be paid on 16 April 2025. **2** Reference to "low-risk" in this factsheet is made in comparison to other equity infrastructure asset classes. 3 Availability-style means revenues are paid provided the assets are available for use. 4 In comparison to the latest publicly available information for all closed ended, LSE-listed equity infrastructure investment companies. 5 EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation ('SFDR') disclosure requirements. The fund is an Article 8 financial product under SFDR and reports on criteria for a socially beneficial investment. 6 This is a target only for 2025 and is not a profit forecast. There can be no assurance that this target will be met or that the Company will make any distributions at all. 7 If inflation is 1 percentage point higher than our modelled assumptions for all future periods, portfolio returns would increase from 7.6% to 8.1%. 8 Total net cash generated in the year / total cash dividends paid for the year (see detailed explanation in the Company's Annual Report). 9 On a compounded annual growth rate basis. This represents the steady state annual growth rate based on the NAV per share at 31 December 2024 assuming dividends declared since IPO in December 2011 have been reinvested. Calculated using the Morningstar methodology. 10 The Ongoing Charges percentage is prepared in accordance with the AIC recommended methodology, latest update published in October 2024. Refer to the Financial Results section of the Annual Report 2024 for further details. 11 Based on NAV per share at 31 December 2024 and assuming dividends declared since IPO in December 2011 have been reinvested. Calculated using the Morningstar methodology.

8.40pps +6% increase year-on-year

FY 2024 dividend declared

8.1% as at 31 December 2024

+2%8.57pps

(FY 2023: 0.93%)

## **Operating model**

Active Asset Management	Prudent Financial Management	Selective Investment Strategy
Hands-on approach to preserve and enhance the value of our investments, and to deliver well maintained infrastructure for communities and end-users	Diligent risk assessment and strong balance sheet management to ensure financial resilience	Focused on growing and diversifying the portfolio with shareholder returns and portfolio construction as the key drivers
<ul> <li>Highly experienced asset management team with expertise in transport and social infrastructure</li> <li>Strong portfolio performance and consistently high level of asset availability at 99.9%</li> <li>No material lock-ups or defaults reported and net cash generated at the portfolio companies ahead of expectations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>No refinancing exposure in the portfolio</li> <li>No drawings on BBGI's revolving credit facility</li> <li>RCF reduced from £230 million to £150 million and extended to 2028</li> <li>Proactive treasury management</li> <li>Comprehensive hedging strategy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Over a decade of proven responsible growth</li> <li>Considered approach to capital allocation with a clear alignment of interest with shareholders</li> <li>Focused on portfolio accretive growth not just growth of AUM</li> <li>No outstanding commitments to acquire assets</li> </ul>

## **Disciplined capital allocation**

Focus on enhancing shareholder value and portfolio construction



## Leadership

Management Board: Duncan Ball (CEO), Michael Denny (CFOO), Andreas Parzych (Executive Director)

**Supervisory Board:** Sarah Whitney (Chair), Andrew Sykes, Chris Waples, June Aitken, Jutta af Rosenborg

## **Dividend information**

**Dividend payments:** April and October

2024 (declared): 8.40 pence per share 2025 (target)<sup>6</sup>: 8.57 pence per share

Listing: London Stock Exchange Chapter 15 Premium Listing, closedended investment company Index: FTSE 250, FTSE 350, FTSE 350 High Yield, FTSE All-Share

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### **Corporate information Advisors**

**Corporate brokers:** Jefferies International Ltd, Winterflood Securities Ltd

**Central administrative agent and depositary:** CACEIS Bank, Luxembourg Branch

UK Transfer agent, receiving agent and depository:

MUFG Corporate Markets Trustees (UK) Limited

Auditors: PricewaterhouseCoopers, Société Coopérative

# Standards & Frameworks

for SMEs

standards

BASED TARGETS

Corporate Emissions targets set in line with the SBTi framework

GHG emissions quantified in

accordance with the GHG Protocol

GREENHOUSE GAS PROTOCOL

Financed Emissions quantified in accordance with the Partnership for Carbon Accounting Financials Guidance

PCAF Partnership for Carbon Accounting Financials

Net zero targets approved by the IIGCC in accordance with the Net Zero Investment Framework for Infrastructure Guidance

Approach to carbon offsets aligns with the principles from the Oxford Principles for Net Zero Aligned Carbon Offsetting (revised 2024)

NZAM signatory since 2021

The Net Zero Asset Managers initiative

**IIGCC** 

Our portfolio aligns with selected Sustainable Development Goals ('SDG')

## SUSTAINABLE GOALS

Article 8 under the SFDR European

UN Principles for Responsible Investment signatory since 2020



**UN Global Compact signatory** ince 2020



Supporter of the objectives of the Paris Agree



TCFD supporter since 2020 

#### Selection of our assets

#### Healthcare



**Stanton Territorial Hospital** Canada

#### Education

**East Down Colleges** 

UK



**North London Estates Partnership** (LIFT) UK

#### **Civic Infrastructure**



**Northern Territory Secure Facilities** Australia



Principles for Responsible Investment

Signatory of:

UN PRI Assessment 2024: Policy Governance and Strategy: **\*\*\*\*** Direct Infrastructure: **\*\*\*\*** Confidence Building Measures: ★★★★☆



**External Ratings** 

ISS E&S Disclosure Quality Score 2023:1 Environment (Decile Rank: 3) | Social (Decile Rank: 2)



SUSTAINALYTICS





A1/A6 Motorway Netherlands

Enerav



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Supporters of the goals of FTSE Women Leaders and the Parker Review on Ethnic Diversity on Boards FTSE Women Leaders

Member of the AIC and reporting aligned with the AIC Code of Corporate



Stakeholder engagement approach consistent with AA1000 Stakeholder Engagement Standard (2015)®



Sustainability Report prepared in accordance with GRI and SASB Standards



SASB



GRI content index SASB content index





ISS ESG Corporate Rating 20242: Prime B- (Decile Rank: 1)

Sustainalytics ESG Risk Rating 20213: Strong ESG performance with a risk rating of Negligible (8.3)

1 ISS Environment & Social Disclosure Quality Score is based on company disclosure and transparency practices. It ranges from 1 (highest quality disclosure) to 10 (lowest quality disclosures).

2 ISS ESG Corporate Rating is based on company's performance regarding ESG issues, compared to the industry average. It ranges from A+ (highest score) to D- (lowest score). The Prime threshold reflects the overal magnitude of an industry's risk exposure. 3 Sustainalytics' ESG Risk Ratings, range from 0 to 100, with lower scores indicating lower levels of ESG

## Transportation



Canada Line Canada

Affordable Housing



**Poplar Affordable Housing and** 



Recreation Centres UK

John Hart Generating Station Canada